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Everyone come and bring your books, also a well filled basket.
EDD YOUNG, President,
ELLA THOMPSON, Sec.

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Miss Vera Ruth Blackburn Becomes Bride of Jack McClung

Miss Vera Ruth Blackburn, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Blackburn, became the bride of Jack McClung, son of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin McClung, at 9:00 o'clock Saturday evening at the home of the bride's parents.

Wearing a costume suit of powder blue with a white straw hat and navy accessories, the bride carried an arm bouquet of white gladiolas.

Miss Catherine Collins, the bride's only attendant, wore a light blue sheer and carried a small bouquet of pink gladiolas. Watson Clifton was the best man.

Before the ceremony Miss Jewel Burton sang "I Love You Truly," accompanied by Miss Helen Maples, at the piano. Miss Maples played "The Bridal Chorus" from Lehengrin and during the ceremony she played softly "Lohengrin."

The ceremony was performed before a bank of gladiolas with tall candelabras with tapers on each side. Mrs. Estes Allison of Wichita Falls, cousin of the bride, at the right.

Following the ceremony, a brief reception was held in the dining room which was decorated with spring flowers and pink tapers burning in small white candelabras. The table was covered with a hand crocheted lace cloth with the wedding cake in the center.

Mrs. Estes Allison and Miss Eva Jo Carl presided at the punch bowl. The wedding cake and lime ice was served to members of the families, close friends, and the wedding party. Miss Ruth Cunningham of Fort Worth presided at the bride's back.

Mrs. McClung is a graduate of Decatur high school, and Mr. McClung is a graduate of Chico high school.

After a short wedding trip, the couple will make their home in Decatur.

Out of town guests were Miss Ruth Cunningham of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Estes Allison, and Mrs. W. B. Allison of Wichita Falls.

Many Club Meetings Enjoyed Past Week

Trumping and bidding for high and low prizes, members of the various weekly and semi-weekly bridge clubs met during the week at the homes of members for rousing games of duplicate auction, and contract bridge.

Mrs. H. M. Helm entertained the Duplicate Bridge Club Thursday at her home. After several games of duplicate bridge, guests were served a salad course. Composed of eight members, the club meets semi-weekly playing no-prize bridge.

Members of the Breakfast club were entertained by Mrs. W. C. Milligan at her home Tuesday. Breakfast was served to Misses J. V. Patterson, C. L. Christian, C. P. Dodson, Charles Cates, W. C. Shultz, T. G. Rogers, Robert Sellars, and Dan Martin of Weatherford. After games of contract bridge, Mrs. Shultz won the high prize by half score.

Entertaining members of the Lionicon Club, Mrs. Jack Cates Friday will serve a luncheon during the meeting of that club at her home. Special guests will be Mrs. B. J. Moss of Denton, Mrs. C. L. Jacobs of Alice and Mrs. C. H. Cates.

Desserts From the Berry Patch

By Miss Alice Barrett Asst. RD Agent

There are at least a dozen different answers to the dessert problems during the berry season. Strawberries for the most part are gone but the later berries are ripening now.

Even good quality berries will keep only a short time after they reach the home kitchen, so its important to sort any that are oversoft or moldy and might spoil the others. If berries are not to be used at once, keep them in the ice box on a shallow tray and cover lightly with wax paper.

Berries in general contain vitamin C, some kinds are important sources of this vitamin. To make the most of vitamin C in berries, it is best to eat them uncooked. Have cream that is thick enough to coat each berry and powdered sugar for those who like it.

Combinations of berries and other summer fruits are always pleasing. Try mixing some blackberries with slices of golden peaches. A summer fruit cup with wedges of fresh pineapple, ripe banana, and apple will have extra sparkle with berries added.

Berry time is shortcake time, and blackberries and raspberries take up the theme where strawberries leave off. Any of the sweet juicy berries are suitable for shortcake but its best to let them stand with sugar for an hour or so to draw out the juice.

To many folks, berry pies are the top ranking summer dessert. To make berry pies with a crisp, unsoaked crust and some bright juice trickling out from each piece, pre-bake the pie crust.

Then, of course, berries may be used in frozen desserts, ice creams or make berries into a sauce and serve over plain ice cream.

Missionary Society Honors Houston Hospital With Shower

Following a business meeting of the Missionary Society Monday at the First Baptist Church, a linen shower for the benefit of the Memorial Hospital at Houston was by the 21 ladies present. Mrs. C. S. Summon led the devotional.

Because of the weather conditions, many members were unable to attend. Persons desiring to give something for the shower should see Mrs. W. E. Wheeler, Mrs. E. B. Brown, or Mrs. C. A. Maples.

On Monday, June 24, the ladies will meet with the following circles: Blanche Grace Circle at Mrs. J. A. Simmons, Bernice Neil Circle at Mrs. Jennings Brown's, Morgan Circle at Mrs. J. V. Patterson's and the Locked Circle at Mrs. C. L. Christian's. All members are urged to be present at their circle meeting.

Pioneer Family Gathers in Picnic and Reunion At Joe Wheeler Park

Saturday, June 1st, 1940, marked another eventful day in the history of the Gose family, when they gathered at Joe Wheeler for a day of fellowship and to honor Grandmother Gose, whose birthday comes on May 30th, and who had she lived would now be one hundred and nine years of age. The Gose family pioneered from Missouri to Texas in the year 1859. Ninety-two relatives and eleven guests were present. As love and loyalty for each other are striking characteristics of the family, these reunion occasions are doubly enjoyable. At the noon hour a sumptuous feast was spread under the taternacle, and Dr. Coy Gose, of Krum, offered a prayer of thanksgiving to God. No relative had died during the year, while several had married into the family. Those present by families were:

Mrs. Henrietta Perrin, of Haskell, children and grandchildren, 28. Dr. and Mrs. J. C. Gose of Krum, children and grandchildren, eleven. The Harding family, children, and grandchildren, 9. The Waggoner family of Wichita Falls, children and grandchildren, 19. The Harvey Family, children and grandchildren of Mrs. Maggie Harvey-Hanna, of Alvord, 12. Mrs. Stella Gose, and Mrs. Austin Leach and children, Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Gose and sons of Wichita Falls, Mr. and Mrs. Lev Sellars, and Mrs. Leo Sellars and son, and Outler D. Gose.

Wise County Girl to Teach in N. Carolina

Miss Hazel McCame, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. McCame of Alvord was selected to teach the summer session in Primary Demonstration school in the Appalachian State Teachers College at Boone, North Carolina. She has taught in the Alvord school and for the past four years she has taught in the Jefferson school, Suggs, Tex. as.

Miss McCame is a graduate of NTSTC at Denton, she has a B. S. and her Masters Degree from that institution.

Forty Fair Reflections



Beautifully mirrored in the placid pool of the Court of Flowers is the massive Triumphal Arch at the 1940 Golden Gate International Exposition. Decked in its finest holiday dress, and literally covered by thousands of blossoming flowers, Treasure Island will open its portals to the world, May 25.

Miss Wallace Weds William E. Trietsch

Miss Elena Ruth Wallace, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Wallace of Bridgeport and William E. Trietsch, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Trietsch of Greenwood were married on June 13 at 10 a. m. at the home of Rev. Forrester in Decatur.

The bride wore a navy blue ensemble. After a wedding trip to West Texas, the young couple will be at home in Greenwood.

Card of Thanks

We take this means of expressing our sincere thanks and appreciation for the many kindnesses shown us and the sympathetic attention given us by our friends and neighbors during the recent illness and death of our dear husband and father, May Gods richest blessings be yours, both now and in your time of need.

Mrs. Pearl Sherman and Family

Greenwood News

Too Late for Last Week

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Glen Davis of Portales, New Mexico were in Greenwood Wednesday saying hello to friends.

Mr. Bob Johnson was here last Tuesday calling on old friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Fenwick of Clovis, New Mexico were visiting here last week.

Mrs. Millard Woods and children of the Rio Grande Valley are visiting her sister, Mrs. Charlie Maxwell.

Mrs. J. E. Watson got burned very badly last Friday, she dropped a teakettle of boiling water, scalding her left leg from the knee to the ankle. Miss Margaret Treitch left Monday for Grapevine, where she has a job.

Miss Marie Kingsley of Grapevine

Social Security Accounts Checked Without Cost

Ft. Worth, Tex. June 14—Workers who wish to check the accuracy of their social security accounts for old-age and survivors insurance, or those past 65 who wish to file a claim for insurance payments, do not need to pay anyone to assist them. Mr. Z. E. Avery, manager of the social security Field Office in Fort Worth, Texas, pointed out today. He said that procedures established by the Social Security Board furnish employees with every assistance in checking their accounts and in filing claims for insurance payments.

Recent inquiries received by the field office, Mr. Avery said, indicate a belief on the part of some workers that they need to pay for the services of an outside person in order to be sure that their rights are protected. He explained that the Social Security Board has the duty of keeping accurate wage records and paying insurance benefits to all eligible persons and that it has established procedures to carry out these responsibilities fully. He added, however, that the Board's procedures do not prohibit the worker from being represented by an outside person if he so wishes.

In explanation of the procedures established by the Board, Mr. Avery stated that any worker who wishes to check the wages credited to him can get a self addressed form for this purpose at the field office. If he fills this in and mails it, he will promptly receive a report from the Board's central wage record office at Baltimore, which will show the wages reported by his employer and credited to his account. If he believes there is any error in the amount of wages credited to him, the field office will make every effort to clear up the matter.

Mr. Avery explained that if the employee still questions the accuracy of

spent Sunday afternoon and night with home folks.

Mrs. J. F. Truitt and Wilma Kinsey and Uncle Nell were shopping in Decatur Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Williamson were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Still last Sunday.

Mrs. Lowrie McNeely and Jerry visited Mrs. Bulle Montgomery Sunday afternoon.

Mr. T. N. Maxwell Sr. has been sick the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Iva Mosier and son who have been on their vacation, and been at the bed side of his mother have returned to their home in San Antonio.

the Board's record of his wages he has the privilege of having a hearing before the local regional referee, who is appointed by the Social Security Board but is independent of its Bureau of Old-Age and Survivors Insurance.

Some people, according to Mr. Avery, have also indicated that they thought they should pay someone to represent them in filing claims for insurance payments. Mr. Avery explained that the field office is prepared to give all claimants—workers past 65 and the families of workers who have died—all possible assistance in filing their claims for this insurance. This service is free.

He further stated that the Board has established procedures by which anyone who questions the decision of the Bureau concerning his rights to insurance payments can ask for a hearing on his claim before a regional referee. If he is still dissatisfied after this review, he can appeal his case to the Appeals Council in Washington. Thereafter he, of course, would still have recourse to the Federal District Court for his district.

First Baptist Church

Pastor R. E. Bell announces that he will preach next Sunday morning on THE TEACHING OF THE BIBLE CONCERNING HUMAN TRAGEDIES. Such questions as the following will be discussed: Who is responsible for human tragedies? Why are good people permitted to suffer? What is God's relation to human suffering? What are the uses of adversity? Questions every day, and the Bible has ple all over the world are asking these the answers. Life is a great school, and wise people learn from its experiences. Many people will learn no other way, and some will not learn even that way.

An electric organ is to be installed in the church auditorium for the service on Sunday night, June 30. A skilled organist will be present to try out the instrument in the auditorium and demonstrate what it will do. All members will want to hear this remarkable musical instrument, and the public is invited.

Bro. Watkins is conducting a vacation Bible school for children at Sycamore Baptist church.

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LOCAL NEWS

Monette Nevill and Billie Morell of Electra were week-end visitors of Mrs. L. T. Morell.

Miss Wanda Lou Hague of Wichita Falls is spending a couple of weeks here with her grandmother, Mrs. L. T. Morrell.

Mrs. J. V. Provence and daughter and husband of Dallas were Saturday visitors here. They visited Mrs. T. J. McMurray.

Avery Rasbury and son, Lester, and J. A. Parr visited in Glen Rose. Jim Mecaskey who has been there the past several weeks returned home with them.

Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Johnson spent the week-end visiting relatives here.

Mrs. R. E. Holter visited in Olney Monday.

Mrs. Billy Bob Renshaw is visiting this week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Cartwright and other relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Rolean Riddle of McKinney spent the weekend with their families here.

Miss Mary Ruth Patton spent Sunday visiting Mr. and Mrs. Brummel in Wichita Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Maples and family spent Sunday in Fort Worth visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Scott Hickey and Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Cook and family visited in Dallas Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Moore visited her mother in Greenville last weekend.

Miss "Chick" Brower who has been visiting the past few weeks in Burnet and Austin returned home Sunday.

Miss Alice Hull of Electra spent the week-end visiting Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Hull and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Greer of Austin were called to the bedside of her mother who is seriously ill at the Methodist Hospital in Fort Worth.

Miss Evelyn Gilliland of Ft. Worth spent Sunday visiting relatives here.

Mrs. Charlie Burton and children returned from Abilene where they visited last week with relatives and friends.

Miss Iris McDaniel returned home Saturday from Fort Worth, where she has been visiting the past two weeks.

Miss Faye Bone of Fort Worth spent the week-end visiting Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Hull and family.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Wilson of Boyd visited her mother, Mrs. Pearl Lewis here last Sunday.

Mrs. Dock Smith, of Houston was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Jo Whitaker Saturday.

Bert McClane Jr., returned Friday from a visit with his grandparents in Lawton, Oklahoma.

Buzz Burton and family visited in Ft. Worth Friday.

Mrs. Annie Anderson of Denton is visiting her brother, C. N. Quisenberry.

Eddie Proctor, of Boyd, was a Decatur visitor Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Pierce Chandler were the guests of his father Sunday, in Bowie.

Mr. and Mrs. Harlan Brown spent the week-end in Waco.

Mrs. Mary Kelley of Paradise was in Decatur Saturday.

Ramon Kinsey was a Decatur visitor Friday night.

Mrs. Maggie Imma and children of Hobart, Oklahoma, are visiting Mrs. Mattie Lewis.

Visitors from out of town in Decatur Monday were: W. W. Higgs, Crafton; Andy Pickens, Park Springs; Dean and Jeffrey Mosier, George and Datus Gann, Brady and W. B. McGuire, Robert Garrett and Ben Booth, Chico.

Mary Lee and Paul Singleton, Faye Dean Brantlett, and James Washburn spent Fathers Day in Oklahoma with the parents of Mary Lee and Paul.

Mr. Newton P. Taylor who has been very sick at his home is reported to be improving.

Mrs. E. Walker returned Saturday from an extended visit with her son at Temple.

Miss Ella Maude Laysey and Mother were in Fort Worth last Saturday.

Mr. Sam Boyd and sister, Mrs. G. E. Arrington, are visiting in Lubbock, and other West Texas towns.

Mrs. Turner Smith is visiting in Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Greer of Austin, are visiting Mr. Greer's mother, Mrs. T. H. Greer.

Mrs. W. C. Shults returned Saturday from a several days visit in Dallas.

Little Bettie Lou Nipper returned home Sunday after spending three weeks with their grandparents at Lubbock. Her brother, W. A., remained for a longer visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hickey, Miss Annie Marie Burton, and H. B. Barnes attended the A. & P. picnic in Dallas Sunday.

Mrs. Ernest Watson and little son, Jerry, visited her father and family, Jack Rieger, over the weekend.

Mr. P. M. Bounds returned Sunday from a ten days visit among relatives and old acquaintances at McKinney.

Mrs. E. H. Young is visiting relatives in Crosbyton and Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. Barry Hill of Fort Worth visited last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Canada.

Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Canada spent this week visiting their daughter, Mrs. Barry Hill in Fort Worth.

Mrs. Jiggs Land from Amarillo is visiting her mother, Mrs. J. C. Dailey.

Hoarse Joe McGee visited relatives over the weekend.

Mrs. Mary Babinett and son from

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Fire Commissioner Warns of Fires in Industry if War Comes

Austin, Texas, June 20.—Fire departments in Texas, as well as every section of the North American continent, will do well to take stock of their resources as a step toward coping with fires which may come to wartime industry, Marvin Hall, state fire insurance commissioner, warned today.

"The crucial factor in this war will be the ability of one set of belligerents to keep supplies of machines and foods away from the other," he said, "and such a war may be decided by actions a long way from the battle front."

Pointing out that the danger is principally in heavily industrialized areas, the Commissioner said that the South would not be in fear of such activities as would other sections of the country.

However, fire departments were urged to make frequent inspections of important properties, particularly

Tom McMurray, wife and three children of Fort Worth, were visiting in Decatur Thursday with their grandmother, Mrs. T. J. McMurray.

Fort Worth are visiting her sister, in Lubbock this week.

Mrs. Melvin Taylor and daughter, Melva, are doing nicely.

Mrs. Allan McCurdy and Barbara Ann from Lewisville visited relatives here last week.

Miss Marie Fox from Lubbock visited her mother a few days.

Children Should Have Period of Rest During Summer Vacation

"The child's day during vacation this summer should be scheduled to include a period of rest before meals, because uninterrupted, strenuous play tends to spoil appetite and may retard digestion," stated Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer.

"There is no doubt as to the value of play and exercise in stimulating appetite, vigor and endurance. However, when carried out to the extent of bringing about definite fatigue play and exercise often exert an opposite effect.

"The average child enters wholeheartedly into play, both physically and emotionally. When allowed to play hard up to mealtime, he comes to the table in a fatigued excited state with poor appetite, temporarily impaired digestive capacities and a tendency to gulp his food hastily. Therefore, a rest period before eating is of benefit to a child.

"Parental studies have also shown that excessive as well as insufficient activity reduces one's physical capacities. The reserve capacity of children is relatively small, varies with individuals and may be easily exceeded.

"Hard play in the evening up to bedtime usually disturbs sleep. The ill effects of overactivity are more likely to be observed in the spring after ten relatively sedentary life of the winter season. Another period when play becomes excessive is at the beginning of summer vacation when children have their first opportunity at day long physical activity.

"Properly regulated camps, city playgrounds and other community recreational facilities for the children

Aurora Fundamentalist Baptist Church

Rev. Taft Slimp, Pastor

Despite the rainy weather and muddy roads, we had 100 in Sunday school and our pastor brought a wonderful message at the eleven o'clock hour. What a blessing it is to any church to have a pastor like Bro. Slimp, so humble and full of the spirit of God. We invite every one that is not in God's service somewhere else, to come and worship with us. We know that you will receive a blessing.

The church honored our pastor with a birthday dinner and he seemed to enjoy it very much and received many nice gifts. Those present were: Taft Slimp and family, Bob Lewis and family, Mr. and Mrs. Layfield, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Ford, Grandmother Lashy, Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie McKee and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Jennings.

There was plenty of good things to eat, and everybody seemed to enjoy themselves. What a blessing it is to have fellowship, one with another, for we know it pleases God for his children to love one another and to have fellowship with one another.

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Ten Years Ago

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Bruce Bulgarel left last Tuesday for Boston, Mass., having been called to the bedside of his mother there.

Wise County F.H. Clubs were organized for county wide activity on Club Day, Friday, 13th of June. Paul Wright of Decatur will lead the group, as president, with Doris Harlan, Paradise, vice-president; Elizabeth Gill, band, Paradise, secretary; and Nina Goodger of Paradise club yell leader.

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Montague County Makes Effort to Secure Grape Market

In visiting several vineyards during the past week, Mr. U. A. Randolph in charge of the Fruit Investigating Laboratory, and Mr. A. S. Elliot, County Agent, Montague County, found that there are prospects for a large crop of grapes this year. Every grower visited was highly in favor of making every effort possible to get a company into the North Texas area to buy the grapes on a commercial scale. Since commercial companies still wish to come into this area to put up grape juice this coming season provided there are sufficient grapes to meet their requirement, and also the harvesting season approaching, growers requested that meetings be called in order to make arrangements for a market outlet. Mr. Randolph and Mr. Elliot state that they believe if every grower, whether large or small, will work together that a juice plant can be established. In behalf of the growers request, Mr. Randolph and Mr. Elliot have arranged the following meetings to make arrangements for the marketing of grapes.

Montague, Monday, June 24, at 8:00 P. M. Court House.

Bowie, Tuesday, June 25, at 8:00 P. M. City Auditorium.

Sunset, Wednesday, June 26, at 8:00 P. M. School House.

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Decatur Clinic-Hospital

Miss Leroy Blackford is at Terrell's Laboratory and All Saints Hospital in Fort Worth, where she will study the latest laboratory technique for several months.

Mrs. M. L. Pennington will return to her home in Chico soon, following a major operation Saturday.

Mrs. Frank Green is doing nicely.

Randell Blakney, Alvord, is recovering from an appendectomy performed Monday.

Mrs. E. R. Dodds will return to her home in a day or two.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Hobson have a new 8 lb. boy, born Wednesday morning.

Mrs. Jewel Mara is doing nicely.

Daisy Ann Whitaker is expected to be able to go home soon.

Herman Weatherby of Chico, operated on Tuesday night for appendicitis is doing fine.

Fritz Maidens is recuperating rapidly.

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Sycamore News

Miss Merlene Gage spent the week-end in Denton.

Mrs. Winnie Bradford of Decatur visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Griffith.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Gage and son spent Saturday night and Sunday with her parents who reside near Denton.

Mrs. Hale visited her daughter of Fort Worth a few days this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Dump Dunaway and daughter and Mr. and Mrs. Jess Carpenter and children of Gainesville visited in the C. C. Bradford home Sunday.

Mrs. Ray Hargrove and daughter of Bolivar visited her parents Saturday night and Sunday.

Miss Ruth and Jaunita Gage of NTSTC visited their parents over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Young, Mr. and Mrs. Sid Stephens visited in Chico Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Hargrove spent Father's Day with Mr. and Mrs. Ed Griffith.

Miss Merlene Gage attended the air show in Dallas Sunday afternoon.

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Rogers Hospital News

Mr. Barrett Moore from Forestburg who was injured when his truck fell through a bridge near Forestburg, is still improving.

Mrs. J. E. Walthall from Bowie has returned to her home after receiving medical treatment in the hospital for several weeks.

Mrs. J. W. Landers from Forestburg who underwent a major operation is improving nicely.

Baby Hodges is still in the hospital and doing nicely.

Mrs. Will Patton who underwent a major operation several days ago will be able to return home soon.

Mrs. M. K. Hise from Henrietta returned home after having a major operation.

Miss Jo Ann King from Forestburg has returned home after having an appendix operation.

Mr. Elmer Trent from Childress has returned home after having an appendix operation.

Miss Sylvia Steadman from Nocona has returned home after having an appendix operation.

Mr. Charlie Fellers from Dallas has returned home after having an operation.

Mrs. Joe Dunn and baby of Rhome returned home Wednesday.

Mrs. S. Davis from Nocona underwent an appendix operation Friday.

Mrs. W. B. Clark from Nocona is receiving medical treatment in the hospital.

Mr. Stanley McCormick underwent a major operation Friday.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Gordon Saturday, June 15, a girl.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Mariett, of Chico, Saturday, June 15, a girl.

Mrs. T. J. Putnam from Alvord underwent a major operation Saturday.

Mr. Alvin Askey underwent an appendix operation Saturday.

Eloyd Brawner underwent a tonsil operation Wednesday.

John Calvin Kosanke from Henrietta underwent a tonsil operation Wednesday.

Betty Cox from Chico underwent an appendix operation Friday.

Mrs. Joe Jennings has returned to her home in Dallas after having been in the hospital for several days receiving treatment for injuries which she received in a car wreck.

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PLEASANT VALLEY H. D. CLUB

Child Training was studied by the Pleasant Valley Home Demonstration club June 13, 1940 at a regular meeting in the home of Mrs. C. N. Thomas.

Children's rights should be respected and taught to respect their elders. Parents should understand children and reason with them. Teach them to take care of their possessions, let other children play with their toys, to give to others and not be selfish.

Members present were Mrs. Joe Dethloff, W. J. Ethridge, Henry Dethloff, R. L. Groves, Roy Hartsell, Fred Tackel, S. A. Haney, and the hostess, Mrs. Thomas.

Meeting adjourned to meet June 27, 1940, with Mrs. W. J. Ethridge.

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Mr. and Mrs. Henry Burton transacted business in Fort Worth Monday.

Mr. Elwood McDaniel was in Dallas on business last Monday.

Owen T. Shaw visited in Van, Texas last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Mann and family have returned from an extended vacation which carried them to Pensacola, Fla., New Orleans, La., Natchez, Miss., and other points of interest. Accompanying them on the trip were W. B. Russell and family of Memphis, Texas.

Mrs. C. C. Culp and daughter, Miss Betty Culp visited in Fort Worth Monday.

Red Cross Says Federal Appropriation Will Not Affect Contributions

Washington, D. C., June 15.—In connection with the \$50,000,000 European relief appropriation now pending before congress, Chairman Norman H. Davis yesterday sent the following communication to 3,700 Red Cross chapters throughout the United States:

"I want to emphasize that the bill pending before congress for an appropriation of \$50,000,000 for the purchase of surplus food and other supplies for the relief of refugees does not provide for any appropriation to the Red Cross of any money. The government is not proposing to finance the Red Cross and neither has the Red Cross asked any financing by the government. The Red Cross has been expecting to continue to be an organization supported by voluntary gifts. The proposed legislation provides that the purchase shall be under the control of the President, but that he may select as the agency for the distribution of the foods and other supplies, the American Red Cross or such other agency as he may designate.

"If the proposed legislation passes and the President asks the Red Cross to distribute surplus foods or other supplies to refugees, it will enable the Red Cross to do a better and more complete job, and the Red Cross will be keenly sensitive of the confidence thus expressed in the effectiveness of its organization. It will endeavor to render efficiently this supplementary service just as it tried to do in the past with respect to the distribution in this country of surplus government wheat and cotton.

"The President's request to Congress called attention to the fact that the recommended purchase of surplus food in no way lightened the burden which the American Red Cross has assumed, and especially said, 'The appropriation I am suggesting will supplement the Red Cross relief program. The needs of refugees are many in addition to their need for food.

"It must be made plain to everyone that it has not even been suggested that any money be paid from the United States Treasury to the Red Cross. These are the facts, and if the Red Cross successfully does the work it has undertaken, it will need all and more than the minimum of \$20,000,000 for which it is now appealing to the American people. Every day brings new and urgent needs."

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Home Coming Held At Sand Hill Church

The Home Coming was celebrated at Sand Hill Church Sunday, June 16, with a nice crowd of home folks and visitors to enjoy the day. Mingling their voice in song and prayer and talks from a number. On account of the rains and bad roads a number that had planned to come, didn't get there.

The program consisted of a welcome address by Edd Young, songs, a number of quartets, duets, solos, poem by

Ed Gossett Urges Rapid Production of War Supplies in U. S.

Ed Gossett delivered an address in Congress Monday on "Making the World Safe for Democracy."

Among other things he said, "The defeat of the great French democracy by the ruthless power of a dictator makes it more evident than ever that we should immediately respond to President Roosevelt's plea for rapid production of war materials and supplies. We need more action and less words. Before the sun goes down we should sign the proper contracts with Henry Ford and have him begin tomorrow with his program to produce 1,000 planes a day.

We must not only prepare for our own defense, but we must prepare to take the lead in the peace that has to follow after the war. Our economic power should be used to aid defenseless people and to defeat aggressors. We should blush with shame to think that more than two million Chinese have been killed and more than 40 million made homeless largely thru use of American scrap iron and gasoline.

Let us resolve henceforth, whether in peace or war, we will devote to the service of our country the best that we possess of mind and heart with the hope that divine providence will guide our feet in the paths of peace.

Edd Young, entitled, "Me and Pap and Mother," concluded with the song, "I'd Like to Go Back to the Dear Old Home," piano solo by Mrs. Johnson. Talk by Dr. Phillips of Fort Worth; subject, "The Youth of Today and the Religion of Jesus Christ." He said the greatest thing we have to do today is to plant in the youth the right principles.

There were between one hundred and twenty and one hundred and fifty people there to enjoy the day and the beautiful dinner that was spread at noon.

The following visitors from out of town were present: Mrs. Mary Campbell, Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Ash, Mr. and Mrs. Lemons, Mrs. Clark, Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Perrin, daughter and friends from Vernon; Mr. and Mrs. Tandy Below, Vernon; Mr. and Mrs. Harry Mason, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Bivin and children, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Stewart and son, Mrs. McGee, Dr. Phillips, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Davis, Mr. and Mrs. Wade Davey and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Burch Young, Mr. Hubert Long, Mr. Walter Long, Mrs. Henry Donaldson, Mrs. Lora Newberry, Fort Worth; Mr. and Mrs. Newton and children, Bridgeport; Mrs. Doc Alexander, Mr. and Mrs. Lesley Gentry and daughter of Henrietta.

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Corn Flake, Jersey, 3 lge Pkgs. 25c

VINEGAR, pure apple cider, gal. ... 20c

JAR CAPS, Kerr or Mason, doz. ... 20c

JAR LIDS, Ball, vac. seal, 3 doz. ... 25c

Peaches, Libbys Finest, 2 lge 2½ cans 35c

Shortening, Swifts Jewel, 4 lbs. 37c

Pure Lard, Swifts Silver Leaf, 4 lb. ... 32c

(8 lb. 63c)

Tomatoes, Nu Crest, 2 No. 2 cans ... 15c

Bacon, nice lean sugar cured strips lb 14c

Cheese, Swifts Longhorn lb. 19c

ROAST, SEVEN OR SHORT RIBS,

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Mrs. Ferguson Stresses Importance of Experience in Address

My Fellow Citizens: I am really glad to meet my friends of Williamson County. In the years that have passed you have stood by me in hard fought political battles, and I am glad of the opportunity to meet you face to face and thank you for your loyalty to my cause.

For a few minutes I want to talk to you about my campaign for governor. As the only woman governor that was ever elected in Texas and the first one elected in the nation I am profoundly grateful for the honor bestowed upon me.

Impelled by this obligation I have again responded to the call of the people to render additional service. Realizing the unfortunate condition that confronts our state I deem it my duty to render whatever aid within my power to relieve the state from its deplorable condition.

I shall not at this time enter into an extended discussion of state affairs but I will do so during the campaign. Already I have announced my platform and in public speeches have explained the same and I respectfully invite your attention to them.

Let me ask you, my friends, in casting your vote for public officials that you use your best mind and thought in the selection of those best qualified to fill the office to which you elect them. "Who can best serve the state," should be a slogan adopted by every voter. Personal ambition should stand aside for experience and ability. In these times which are to try our souls, the best interest of the people should not be sacrificed on the altar of ignorance and incompetence.

Qualification for public office does not come by chance. It is only through the school of rugged experience that we learn those practical principles that enable us to perform those things that are for the interest of our fellow man.

It has been my honor as well as my privilege to serve the state as governor for two terms. In the performance of that duty, I have had opportunity to learn as well as observe the many rules and requirements of public service. What I have learned how to do in the past I can more easily

ly do in the future. My official record is well known to everybody and it can not be changed. If you, the people, see fit to again call me to public service I shall to the full extent of my ability endeavor to render you the same service that I have in the past, honestly and conscientiously.

Let us pray to the God in Heaven for guidance in this hour of trial and tribulation, and let us help each other to stand the worst misfortune that ever afflicted mankind.

Twenty Years Ago Friday, June 18, 1920

The recent drilling activities have caused much concern throughout the entire state and the report of the Keystone well on the sand at 1,300 feet has caused prices to go soaring skyward.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Lee Cartwright on Friday, June 4, a son.

In an exciting fifteen inning game, Alvord won over the Decatur Club by a 6 to 5 score. Highlights of the game was the excellent pitching of the game by Lancaster, together with the base running of the Alvord player, Deslie.

Paxton Dow, student at T. C. U., is home visiting his mother, Mrs. Guiltie. This young man recently sold his first short story to McClure's magazine. He is majoring in journalism and short stories.

Hugh Greer of this city and James St. Clair of Denton, went to Fort Worth Saturday, where they took the Shrine Masonic degrees. They were accompanied by W. C. Milligan and E. P. Harding.

Misses Jennie and Ruth Splawn have returned from Wichita Falls, where they have been teaching in the high school.

Misses Marie Patterson and Bell Ford, accompanied by Cody Milligan, left Saturday for a trip to Colorado and New Mexico. While away these young ladies contemplate filing on land in New Mexico.

CONTRACTORS' NOTICE OF TEXAS HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION

Sealed proposals for constructing 3,600 miles of Grading and Drainage Structures from Highway No. 114 to 3.6 miles south on Highway No. "F", covered by FAS 52-C (1) in Wise County, will be received at the State Highway Department, Austin, Texas, until 9:00 a. m., June 25, 1940, and then publicly opened and read.

The prevailing wage rates listed below shall apply as minimum wage rates on this project.

Type of Laborer: Workman, or mechanic; Prevailing Minimum Per Diem Wage (Based on an Eight (8) Hour Working Day); Prevailing Minimum Hourly Wage Rate:

Skilled Labor \$8.00 \$1.00

Intermediate Grade Labor 4.00 .50

Unskilled Labor 3.20 .40

Legal holiday work shall be paid for at the regular governing rates. Rates for work performed in excess of the maximum hours per week as stipulated in the "Fair Labor Standards Act of 1938," approved June 25, 1938, (Public No. 718, 75th Congress) shall be subject to the applicable provisions of this Act.

Plans and specifications available at the office of W. P. Goodman, Resident Engineer, Decatur, Texas, and State Highway Department, Austin. Usual rights reserved.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION TO EXECUTE MINERAL LEASE

Guardianship of Thomas Abel, Minor.

To all persons interested in the estate of said minor or his estate:

You are notified that I have on this 19th day of June, 1940, filed with the Judge of the County Court of Wise County an application for authority to make to John D. Gilliland, as lessee, an oil and gas lease on that certain land belonging to such minor, being an undivided 1/6 interest in and 156 acres out of the James Cheshire survey, described in deed recorded in vol. 76, page 387, of the Deed Records of Wise County; such application will be heard in the county court room in the court house of such county on the 28th day of June, 1940.

IWA NEEL, Guardian of the estate of Thomas Abel, Minor.

Mrs. O. L. Butler of Keeter was in Decatur Tuesday in the interest of the new Baptist Church building there where her husband, Rev. O. L. Butler is pastor.

Mrs. G. F. Cobb and daughter, Miss Gretchen left Monday for a visit with relatives in Gaines County.

Mr. and Mrs. Hob Rutherford and son Billie, spent Sunday in Wichita Falls visiting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Carter, Jr., and daughters Shirley and Mary Grace of Tulsa, Okla., visited her brother, Rev. J. M. Connally and family here this week.

Red Cross Says Cessation of Hostilities Does Not Diminish Suffering

Washington, D. C. June 20.—The American Red Cross announced today that the war relief fund had passed the \$12,000,000 mark over the weekend. Total contributions were \$12,178,202. An additional contribution was received today by Chairman Norman H. Davis from the Countess Barbara Haugwitz-Reventlow. Her second gift was \$100,000.

Following peace moves in France, Chairman Davis said: "While conditions for rendering relief may change, the policy of the American Red Cross remains the same. Cessation of hostilities in France does not diminish the terrible suffering and needs of refugees. We therefore intend to continue to extend all possible relief, but only upon condition that we have liberty of action and protection so as to insure that our aid goes solely to those French men, women and children and refugees for whom it is intended. There are already great needs for American Red Cross assistance in England. These will doubtless increase in the near future. Our campaign for funds must go forward. I am confident that our people will continue to trust their Red Cross to do its best to relieve human suffering under the changing conditions of the world today."

The Red Cross cabled \$50,000 to the League of Red Cross Societies in Geneva Saturday, for purchase of milk for the refugees in France, and was informed yesterday by the league that the milk for the refugee children would be distributed in France by the Savy, the Super-French relief committee, and the French Red Cross.

A letter of appreciation for American Red Cross Relief, written by Marshall Petain, was received today. It was dated Paris, May 24, and read as follows:

"I have never forgotten the immense service rendered by the American Red Cross during the war of 1914-1918.

"Now, moved by the misfortune which has fallen on us, the Red Cross intends to take up the same task again. You plan once more to try to spare us the sufferings imposed upon us, or at least to make them less cruel. Your effort fills me with admiration and gratitude."

The refugee situation in Bordeaux, France, yesterday, became one of wildest confusion, John Maloney, one of the representatives of the representatives of the American Red Cross in that French port, cabled:

"Bordeaux and region faced an almost insoluble problem with refugees continuously incoming, despite attempts of military authorities to stem the inflow," Maloney cabled. "The city, already overcrowded with 150,000 homeless refugees faced the possibility that the influx would reach 300,000. Re-evacuation to other points is hampered by lack of trucks and railway equipment. French also are refugeeing from the departments along the Italian border and the Riviera.

"Bordeaux railroad stations today duplicate Paris scenes four weeks ago, with 25,000 refugees passing daily, taxing the inadequate feeding and first aid facilities. Families are sleeping in the parks and the fields. Mothers and young babies are the greatest sufferers. Ten infants were born on refugee trains coming into Bordeaux yesterday. Our American Red Cross warehouse and offices are providing nightly shelter for Americans awaiting steamships."

A special war relief broadcast has been arranged over the CBS coast to coast network, 8:45 to 9 p. m. CST, Wednesday, June 19, with Hendrik Willem Van Loon participating.

Forty Wise County People to Be Employed in Soil Conservation

A project of the WPA allotting \$4,552 to the Soil Conservation of Wise county was approved by Congress and signed by President Roosevelt, according to announcement today by J. H. Taylor of the conservation office here today.

This money is for the Wise County Land Utilization work and will employ about 40 Wise County people. Work will include gully treatment, sodding diversion check, fence obligation and construction and fire control, according to Taylor.

Midway 4-H Club to Sponsor Pie Supper

Pie lovers will have an opportunity to enjoy America's favorite dessert at a pie supper sponsored by the 4-H club girls of Midway community Friday night, June 21, at 8:15 in the Midway school house.

Proceeds from the sale of pies will be used to send a delegate to the Short Course in July.

Saturday Only SUGAR CURED SLAB BACON Unsliced—13c lb. ARNETTE'S GRO. & MKT.

FUNDAMENTALIST BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. Lays Vess, Pastor

The Lord gave us a glorious day Sunday. There were 324 in Sunday school. Bro. Wunnerburger brought a wonderful message on The sinners are afraid to mention. The Lord blessed and manifest his spirit in a great way, men and women shouted the praise of God.

The Lord has blessed us with a great revival here in Decatur with 47 coming forward for rededication and repentance. The revival will continue through the 30th.

Due to the rains there were no services at Flatwood but Lord willing there will be a service there this coming Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Bro. Wunnerburger will bring the message. The bus will leave the church at 2 o'clock.

The monthly fellowship meeting will meet at the Fundamentalist Baptist Church here in Decatur next Thursday, June 27th. We are looking forward to a great day of worship with the Lord.

We urge all who will to join in one of our regular prayer groups which meet at 7:45 o'clock each evening.

Services are held each morning at 10 o'clock. Street service each afternoon at 3 o'clock, and the regular evening service at 8 o'clock.

Thursday night after the regular service, there will be a baptismal service.

We wish to thank the other churches for their attendance and prayers for this great revival, may the Lord bless you all during your revivals to follow.

H. L. Mauldin, a policeman from Amarillo visited friends here Wednesday enroute to Dallas and San Antonio to visit relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Grover Malone of Cleburne are visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Malone of Alvord and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom McCracken.

Saturday Special PICKLING VINEGAR 49 GRAIN... BRING JUG 15c Gallon ARNETTE'S GRO. & MKT.

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A SENSATIONAL PIANO VALUE—in a late model Spinette or a small size studio upright may be available soon. We may possess these pianos but prefer to transfer to reliable party on easy weekly or monthly payments. For full details write Credit Adjuster, Collins Piano Co. 1107 Houston, Fort Worth. ch3t-22

FOR SALE OR TRADE—One house and lot, southeast side, close to Methodist Church and high school. Good 5 room house with closed in porch facing the south. Good sized lot.—Ernest Lassiter, Decatur. 21p-23

WANTED—Spare time solicitors in each community in Wise County. Selling experience or a car not necessary. Anyone reliable with wide acquaintance will be qualified. For particulars write P. O. Box 51, Decatur, Texas. 21p-23

FOR SALE OR TRADE—One all steel L. N. T. 22-38 separator, with belts. Also other machines.—Max Middlebrook, Margaret, Texas. 4tp-25

FOR SALE—About 4,000 bushels of oats and barley at combine. About 7 miles southeast of Decatur, near highway 81.—D. F. Jones. 22

FOR SALE—Peaches and Plums, located 4 1/2 miles southwest of Decatur at the place of J. H. Koerner, formerly known as the G. W. Taylor place 22

FOR SALE—Fresh Buttermilk, churned daily.—Charlie "Red" Burton, Decatur. 11-23

FOR SALE—Two yearling Shropshire buck sheep, Joe B. Howard

PORTRAITS—\$1.00 per doz. and up, all sizes, made in oil colors if desired. Copies of any old picture if plain, one 8x10, \$1.00, or any size desired. One day service on kodak finishing, kodak enlargements.—Guy Ash, Box 202, Decatur. 2t-26

FOR SALE—A Leonard ice box at a bargain.—Raymond Pinkerton. 11-26

WANTED—A settled girl or lady to live with a mother and two children. A good home; willing to pay wages. Ask at Messenger office. Must know right away. 4t-24

Contributions Made To the Red Cross Prior to This Week

Mrs. Jim Bruton	25c
J. L. Jeffers	\$1.00
"Old John"	\$1.00
Miss Ella Thompson	25c
Sam Boyd	\$1.00
W. S. Pitts	\$1.00
J. A. Parr	\$2.00
N. D. Denney	25c
G. W. Watts	\$1.00
A. B. Snipes	\$1.00
Frank Green	\$1.00
Earl Cansler	10c
Mrs. Frank Caraway	\$1.00
Frank Clay	\$1.00
J. W. Wall	50c
Chas. Cassidy, Alvord	\$1.00
S. F. Caraway	\$1.00
Chas. Willhite	\$1.00
Stanley Jordan	\$1.00
Mrs. N. A. Moore	\$2.00
A. L. Herriott	\$1.00
J. H. Reid	\$1.00
Royce Taylor	\$1.00
R. L. Blewett	\$1.00
N. M. Boydston	\$1.00
Bert Walker	\$1.00
J. P. Bearden	\$1.00
Harley Wall	25c
Anna Lou Taylor	50c
Clyde Holt	\$1.00
Mexie Marie Taylor	50c
Geo. King	50c
L. W. Keith	\$1.00
Cates	\$1.00
Bruce Bulgarel	\$5.00
R. E. Caraway	\$2.00
T. J. Settle, Greenwood	25c
W. C. Faulkner	\$1.00
Mr. & Mrs. Z. B. Bobo, Rhone	\$10.00
Eddie Childers	\$1.00
Morris Guthrie	50c
Lester Bell	50c
J. H. Keith	\$1.00
W. A. Demit	25c
Mrs. Mary Watts	50c
Mr. and Mrs. Tom W. Burton	\$2.00
Mrs. Unis Bell	\$1.00
James M. James, Park Springs	\$1.00
Clyde L. Shimp	\$1.00
J. D. Manning	\$1.00
O. L. Milligan	15c
E. B. Brown	\$5.00
J. H. Beum	50c
C. R. Brawner	10c
Norbert Moore	\$1.00
J. L. Sellers	\$1.00
John McKinley	\$1.00
Centrell Hayes	\$1.00
O. D. Gose	\$10.00
Mrs. W. C. Milligan	\$2.00
W. W. Duncan	50c
Mrs. E. H. Baumgaertner	\$5.00
L. G. Rhine	\$1.00
Mrs. J. A. Woodard	50c
Weldon McNeely	\$1.00
Tom Clark	\$1.00
Jim Smith	\$1.00
G. W. Burkett	\$1.00
Chiff Cates	\$4.00
Mrs. Dale Ford	25c
J. A. Christian	\$1.00
Ray Lawson	\$1.00
H. T. Tinsley	\$2.50
Mrs. A. Muldoon	\$2.00
Johnnie Musgrove	\$2.00
Harley Berg	\$1.00
J. H. Taylor	\$1.00
Gordon Renshaw	\$1.00
J. O. Burnett	\$2.00
Carl Christian	45c
R. T. Howard	\$1.50
Mrs. Bill McDonald	10c
Mrs. J. A. Woodard	\$1.00
Laura Ash	25c
Joe Cates	10c
Herbert Ferguson	\$20.00
G. M. Moore	\$1.00
W. A. Helm	\$1.00
Octavine Cooper	\$1.00
George Young	\$1.00
J. A. Parr	\$1.00
Janetta Thompson	25c
Pierce Chandler	\$1.00
J. M. Gibbon	\$1.00
Tal Lively	\$1.00
W. O. Bailey	\$1.00
Rook Club	\$2.00
L. E. Bridgeman	\$2.00
Mrs. G. A. Arrington	\$5.00
J. H. Splawn, Greenwood	\$1.00
Mrs. Mary Clark	\$1.00
E. M. Gattys	1.00
V. B. Reed	\$1.00
Mrs. Ben Grubbs	\$1.00
Grady Woodruff	\$1.00
Jewel Patterson	\$1.00
Mrs. E. H. Young	\$1.00
Mrs. W. H. Dunaway	\$1.00
A. L. Allard	\$1.00
L. J. Layne	50c
Ray Casby	50c
R. E. Shelton	\$1.00
Dr. R. E. Bell	\$1.00
J. V. Prunty	\$1.00
Mrs. Mary Watts	\$1.00
M. L. Weaver	\$1.00
Stanley McCormick	\$1.00
C. M. Quisenberry	\$1.00
N. A. Moore	\$3.00
Mayor C. P. Dodson	\$10.00
Wise County Messenger	\$5.00
W. A. Hughes	\$1.00
H. B. Pearson	\$10.00
Geo. Phillips	\$1.00
Mrs. T. G. Rogers	\$5.00
A. B. Van Meter	\$5.00
Novia Goodger	\$1.00
H. H. Lewis, Greenwood	\$1.00
H. H. Heathington	\$1.00
C. Cocanougher	\$1.00
Dr. S. J. Petty	\$1.00
T. L. Tucker	\$1.00
Audy Kellam	\$1.00
L. L. Burress	\$5.00
S. P. Taylor	\$1.00
E. H. Young	\$1.00
Eddie Hornback	\$2.50
Mrs. Arnold Davenport	\$1.00
Bud Turner	\$1.00
Bun Johnson	\$1.00

Mrs. W. W. Williams	\$1.00
Frank Turner	\$1.00
Mrs. Suttle, Greenwood	50c
Glen Hunt	\$1.00
Ben Williams	\$1.00
Audie Williams	\$1.00
W. W. Brown	\$1.00
Mont Eyster	\$1.00
Lawrence Elmsche	\$1.00
Charles Bradford	\$1.00
Whorton Mann	\$5.00
Cody Milligan	\$10.00
Eddie C. Jones	\$1.00
Buzz Bryan	\$1.00
J. H. Cates	\$1.00
Mrs. J. H. Cates	\$1.00
Wallace Brady	\$1.00
R. B. Taylor	\$1.00
Mrs. C. W. Wilkerson	10c
Mrs. Dermott	10c
Dink Dunaway	25c
H. H. Bennett	\$1.00
O. L. Thomas	\$1.00
A. P. Deaton	\$1.00
Bob Halper	25c
Mrs. Bob Hatcher	25c
J. C. Dunaway	\$1.00
N. R. Roberts	50c
J. M. Scott	\$1.00
C. E. Latham	\$2.00
Glenn Cocanougher	\$2.00
Mrs. J. H. Lynch	\$1.00
Mr. J. H. Lynch	\$1.00
Frank Ford	\$1.00
Bell Ford	\$1.00
C. T. Gattys	\$1.00
W. C. Spults	\$1.00
J. H. Rieger	\$1.00
R. H. Wytkins	\$1.00
W. Caraway	\$1.00
Mrs. H. Berg	\$1.00
Dr. J. L. Ward	\$5.00

Alvord Contributes To Red Cross Fund

Alvord people have contributed as follows to the Red Cross War Relief Fund:

R. E. Taylor	\$1.00
J. R. Rhayne	\$2.00
J. R. Adeock	\$1.00
Mitchell Goodwin	\$2.00
Roy McLaughlin	\$1.00
M. M. Brown	\$1.00
O. J. Meador	\$1.00
O. B. Quarles	\$1.00
Oliver Bond	\$1.00
W. E. Scott	\$1.00
J. D. Magness	\$1.00
Ernest Covington	\$1.00
Mrs. D. S. Cooper	25c
Mrs. C. A. Arrington	25c
L. E. Brown	50c
Harmon Covington	\$1.00
C. J. Byrd	\$1.00
Red Covington	\$1.00
W. G. Barksdale	\$1.00
Virgil Fugate	\$1.00
Gresson Garage	\$1.00
Willy Howell	\$1.00
Virgil Pound	\$1.00
Mrs. Yates	\$1.00
Hal M. Sands	\$1.00
Rachel's Cafe	50c
M. E. Barnes	50c
D. O. Butler	50c
Marvin Loving	\$1.00
Lattie Brown	50c
Mr. Elton Hill	50c
Dr. Corders	50c
Tommie Durrett	50c
Mrs. McAnley	50c
Elmo Blank	25c
B. M. Cox	50c
Carl Spults	\$1.00
Wiley Hickey	\$1.00
Floyd Haysom	\$1.00
Ed McAnne	\$1.00
Wm. Humphrey	\$1.00
W. A. Greer	\$1.00
G. B. Smith	\$1.00
Jack Mitchell	\$1.00
TOTAL	\$38.75

Members of Wise-Electric Cooperative Urged To Attend Meeting

The entire board of directors of the Wise Electric Cooperative, the county agents and home demonstration agents of Wise and Montague counties are urged by Geo. T. Elder, superintendent of the local cooperative, to attend a meeting at Hotel Texas, Fort Worth, at 1 p. m., Friday, June 21, which will be presided over by C. O. Falkenwald, director examining division of the Rural Electrification Administration, Washington, D. C.

The purpose of the meeting is for the discussion of appropriations to be allotted to the various cooperatives.

\$100,000,000 has been appropriated by Congress for the REA and attendance of the above persons will help toward securing necessary money for the Wise Electric Cooperative, according to Mr. Elder.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Coulter of Gainesville visited Mr. and Mrs. John Musgrove Tuesday.

J. P. Robertson and daughter, Helen, visited in Denton Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Kilpatrick have moved from Fort Worth and are making their home here.

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Miss Grace Keeter of Rhome and Miss Theo Keeter of Boyd were visitors here Thursday.

Do You Know Texas?

Some of our folks attended the

Memorable Passage: Let us remind ourselves that the horrors of war threaten the world today are brought upon the nations that have turned away from God. —Ben H. Powell, President Texas Bar Association.

Q. What is the largest land grant in Texas?

A. It is the San Juan de Carreirant, issued to Jose Narciseo Cava in 1792, containing 601,657 acres. It is located in Cameron, Hidalgo, Willa and Kennedy Counties.

Editorial. "Notwithstanding the present interest in Latin-American culture, we shall never lose sight of the fact that the University of Texas after all a state institution. Whenever we acquire on other countries and other states, Texas must always come first and its own history and

No. 19 of a series

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Livestock Shortage May Come If the War Continues to Grow

Austin, Texas, June 20.—Proof that the livestock industry of Texas is fully awake to the possibilities and future demands, resulting from the European war and this nation's own defense program, was cited today by J. E. McDonald, State Commissioner of Agriculture, in revealing an unprecedented number of requests for leasing of state owned jacks and stallions.

"Texas bred mules and horses have always ranked at the top in both peace time and in war, and as a result of the present domestic and foreign conditions, this demand is increasing rapidly.

"With July 1 as the deadline for new annual leasing contracts, the list of available jacks, state owned, has already been exhausted, while there are only approximately 50 stallions remaining unleased for next year. In this class are saddle, draft, morgan and thorough bred stallions, and with last minute applications this number is expected to be quickly exhausted.

"Since the state launched the program of leasing jacks and stallions to farmers and ranchers in 1934 under the provisions of the leasing statute, the value of livestock in Texas has been increased by \$3,500,000.

"While motorized blitzkriegs have taken a prominent spot in present war maneuvers, reports received from the battlefront show the draft animal is still carrying his part on a major scale. The same is true along the domestic front where the tractor is used for large scale farming, but with the horse and mule in increasing demand for small farm operations," McDonald concluded.

No Age Limitation for Widows With Children

Fort Worth, Texas, June 17.—Widows of workers who were covered by the Federal old-age survivors insurance program, if they have dependent children, do not have to be 65 years old in order to get monthly benefit payments under the program, Z. E. Avery, manager of the Social Security Board Fort Worth, Texas, field office pointed out today.

Avery said that a number of young widows of insured workers, who have dependent children under 18, have not filed applications because of misunderstanding of age requirements.

"The age 65 requirement applies to some types of claims, but not to widows with dependent children," Avery explained. "Should a worker die, leaving a widow with young dependent children, the widow's age is immaterial. She and the children would be eligible for payments if her husband had earned wages of at least \$50 in each of six calendar quarters during the 3 years before his death.

"The amount a widow and her children receive will depend on the worker's average monthly wage," Avery stated. "This determines the benefit to which the worker would have been entitled. The widow receives three-fourths of the worker's insurance benefit, and each child under 16 is entitled to one-half. There are, of course, limits to what one family may receive; generally the family total for a widow with three or more children comes to twice the worker's benefit.

Age 65 is one of the requirements for eligibility in the case of retired workers themselves. If the wife of the retired worker is also 65 or more, she too is eligible for a monthly payment, equal to one-half of her husband's. When the worker dies, the widow may be entitled to three-fourths of the benefit the husband received.

The Methodist Church The Friendly Church

Our Vacation Church School opened Monday morning, for children from 4 to 12 years of age. All children are invited. Many interesting things have been planned for the school which meets each morning from 8:30 till 11:00 o'clock. Refreshments will also be served. Some of those expected to be leaders in the school are: Mrs. W. T. Lovelace, Mrs. H. S. Ury, Mrs. W. C. Hull, Mrs. Matt Blackberry, Mr. Gordon Roberts, Miss Jan Lovelace, Miss June Lovelace, Miss Wanda Ruth Hepson, and W. A. Hughes, Jr.

Weather and sickness considered, and many being out of town—attendances at the services last Sunday was good, with inspiring sermon by Bro. Connally for Father's Day, and good offering for the Golden Cross Hospital work at Dallas.

Our new building is going to be more useful and more beautiful than we ever dreamed. Watch the progress from day to day, and be proud that you have a part in it.

Bro. Eaton, adult superintendent, says we should have at least 100 adults in Sunday School every Sunday. Why not—when there are at least 200 able bodied adult Methodists to draw from?

Next Sunday is Missionary Day. Committees preparing for the revival are already appointed, and are at work. Let everyone be on time, which is 9:45.

OUTLER D. GOSE, Supt.

Good Roads to be Major Factor in the Defense of the United States

Austin, Tex., June 20.—Texans are thinking too much about guns and planes for defense and not enough about adequate and durable highways, Lynn Shaw, manager of the Texas Motor Transportation Association declared today.

With the state of Texas situated as it is beside the only foreign neighbor which conceivably could be a base for hostile operations against this country, roads for defense are absolutely necessary, he said, pointing out that the war department recently designated 5,700 miles of Texas highways as important military roads.

From Texas, if not actually the center of conflict, must come much of the supplies for the war machine of the United States, and in peace or war, roads are necessary for preparedness and united effort, whether it be directed toward economic improvement or a common enemy.

Greenwood News

It continues to rain, rains nearly every day.

Julian Settle and Everett Lee Riley, left last week, going to Perryton.

Margie Ruth Hargrove is spending a few days with Elizabeth Chisum.

Lennie Bryan and daughter, Muriel Ruth, of Elk City, visited friends and relatives here this week.

Mr. Bill Trieth and Miss Lena Ruth Wallace, were married one day last week.

Richard Stem and family of Decatur, visited in the Newton Maxwell home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Howard are the proud parents of a daughter, who arrived this week.

The Stice family are entertaining friends from Virginia.

Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Howard, J. C. Sampler and Miss Freeman of New Harp, visited friends in Dallas Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Caddell visited friends in Fort Worth Sunday.

The Dodge family visited relatives in Mineral Wells, this week.

Add hobbies for the University of Texas students: Jack Bostick of Waco is an expert manipulator of puppets, and frequently presents his own puppet shows before student and town groups.

The Texas Collection of the University of Texas, Lamar Library is the most complete collection of Texasiana in existence. It contains 25,000 volumes of both rare and modern books on Texas or by Texans.

Of the University of Texas' more than 500 faculty members, 90 percent are church members, a recent survey shows.



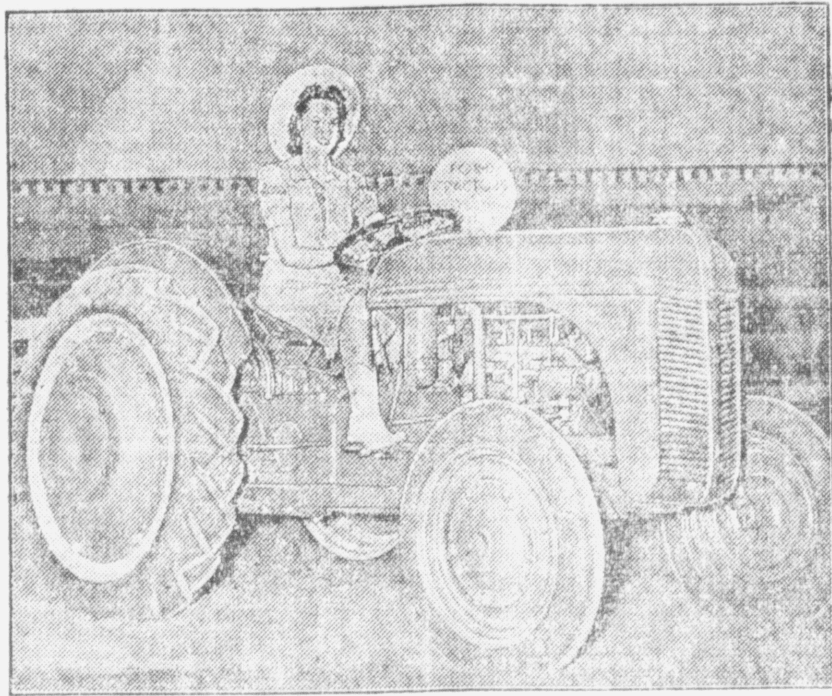
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Miss Houston Turns a Smart Furrow



DIMPLE CAUSEY, 17-year-old Texas beauty representing Houston in a goodwill visit to the New York World's Fair, can do other things besides smile and look pretty!

Here she is driving a Ford tractor in the demonstration field at the Ford Exposition. In her handsome white leather boots, blue cowgirl costume, and sombrero she cut quite a figure among the city slickers gathered at the rail fence to see the performance.

In this field a three-ring circus, with performing tractors instead of elephants and clowns, is put on three times a day. Miss Houston had the opportunity of seeing the massed tractors appear in a grand

march, then parade around the rings, driving, backing and pivoting, then do formation plowing, cultivating, disking and cultipacking. In her soft Texas drawl, the fetching high school lass exclaimed she had never seen anything like this down her way, despite the large-scale farming she's familiar with.

Pretty Dimple—her real name—chalked up some other "firsts" on her trip north—her first visit to New York, her first to a real night club, her first to a Broadway show, and to other wonders! The Ford Exposition, which entertained her in its handsome Executive Lounge, last year led all World's Fair buildings in attendance.

Rush Creek News

We are still having plenty of rain. I have heard it said, "more rain, more rest," but it seems to me it is "more work." The women are very busy canning. The Lord has blessed us with many good things to can for which we are very thankful.

Sunday school will start at Hullwood next Sunday, which is the 23. Sunday school at 10 a. m. and preaching at night. We want everyone to come and take part and make it the best Sunday school that has been held at Hullwood. There never has been a more needy time for Christian people to be busy about the Lord's work than now. There is so much trouble in the world today, we need to spend more time on our knees in prayer for the lost souls. There is so many going

down unprepared to meet our God. Let us get busy and do our best.

Mr. Johnson of Durant, Oklahoma visited his sisters, Mrs. Liza Burchard and Mrs. Cobb over the week-end.

Mrs. W. P. Baten visited Mrs. Wake-man who was sick.

Miss Louise Jones is reported to be improving at this writing.

Miss Geneva Averitt spent Wednesday night with Dannie Ruth Jones.

Mrs. George Burchard and daughter spent Sunday with Mrs. Maye Burchard.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Sellers spent Sunday afternoon with Mrs. McLarty and Geneva.

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Drive in TODAY and let us show you a "peach" of a tire and pay you a "peach" of a trade-in! This offer is possible only because of a special purchase made from the Seiberling Factory. The offer expires Midnight, July 3rd. Come in NOW while they last!

Get this Double Guarantee! Why not? Guaranteed, tire and tube sure! This Center sure! This Seiberling Traction Double Guarantee—a like guarantee on time Guarantee and workmanship and materials PLUS a materials service Protected Service Guarantee.

See the new Seiberling Heavy Duty Black Tube! With each of these Center Traction tires, you get Seiberling's new Heavy Duty Black Tube made of special heat resistant rubber and built to fit the casing perfectly. A new tire deserves a new tube.

NOTICE! If you bought cheap \$6.66 tires that you are not entirely satisfied with, bring them around and we will allow you the FULL PRICE you paid in trade.

OUR \$6.66 OFFER GOOD ON THE FOLLOWING SIZES: 6:00-16, 6:25-16, 6:50-16. But we will allow \$5.95 on sizes 5:25-17, 5:50-17. These allowances are to your old tire and tube and apply on the purchase of a new Seiberling Center Traction Tire and a new Seiberling Heavy Duty Black Tube.

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Civil Service Exam

Explosive chemists are urged to apply at once for the civil service examinations now open for the various grades of chemist and chemical technologist positions in the Federal service. In connection with the present National defense program it is extremely important that a large number of well qualified explosive chemists and chemical technologists be immediately available should vacancies occur in this field. The salaries for the positions for which these examinations have been announced range from \$2,600 to \$4,000 a year. Applications must be on file with the U. S. Civil Service Commission at Washington, D. C. not later than June 21, if received from states east of Colorado, and not later than June 27, 1940, if received from Colorado and states westward. Copies of the announcements and the application forms may be obtained from Charlie Stokes, Secretary of the Board of U. S. Civil Service Examiners, at the post office or customhouse in this city, or from the Secretary of the Board of U. S. Civil Service Examiners at any first or second class post office.

Margaret Lovette Win Honors at John Tarleton

Stephenville, June 20.—Of the 216 students who earned honor rating at John Tarleton College during the spring semester, one was from Decatur, it was announced from the registrar's office today.

Margaret Lovett, daughter of Mr. F. E. Lovett, of Decatur was named an honor student in recognition of earning at least thirty grade points during the semester.

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Goodyear Marks Peak Quarter Century of Tire Making, Selling

"Celebrating its twenty-fifth successive year during which, based on production and sales records, an accurate estimate is that more people have ridden on its tires than that of any other manufacturer. The Goodyear Tire and Rubber Co. is marking

the occasion with a July 4th tire sale," said C. M. Flusche, local company dealer.

Featuring the Marathon, introduced more than two years ago and successfully proved by billions of service miles on the road, as well as the recently announced All-American tire, both to reach 70 per cent of the national market of users, Mr. Flusche said that, currently he was able to offer the Marathon in sets of two or four tires, to meet the peak market demand there should be more replacement, either in sets or units, of worn out casings now running on the highways.

It is true, as everyone in the great middle-class group of car owners realizes, that tires ought to be replaced often, especially in the heat of summer driving, when there are more cars moving on the roads and tire failures endanger a greater number of persons but the matter of cash outlay has prevented buying more than one tire at a time," explained Mr. Flusche. "That is, owners could not buy the tires of recognized manufacturers at a price that would permit replacement of two or four tires, and the thrifty person wants to get as much in quality for his outlay as he can. So, when we offer the Marathon with its high wide tread, new roll grip non-skid and dual cord breaker protection against bruises and punctures, and stand back of it with a lifetime guarantee, we believe we are doing our part to put good, lower-priced tires within the reach of the majority, thus furthering highway safety."

"The new All-American, Goodyear's contribution to the rock bottom price range of tires is a great guaranteed value for this field," declared Mr. Flusche, who urged that car owners investigate their own tires' safety, or drive in for a no-charge, no-obligation inspection, because he wants to continue his part in helping reduce motor accidents due to tire failures.

Forty Years Ago Friday, June 29, 1900

Miss Bessie Austin of Greenwood, was in the city Wednesday.

Mrs. Tom Ferrel (nee Adams) of Monterey, Mexico is visiting her aunt, Mrs. H. May, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Will A. and Dr. R. L. Miller returned last week from their Archer county ranch.

John W. Hunt and family are spending a couple of weeks at Mineral Wells, where they have gone for the benefit of Mrs. Hunt's health.

Miss Jennie Bennett returned Thursday from Fort Worth, where she had been for the past two weeks, under the treatment of an oculist.

Will Terrell and Elmore Tankers, by Will Terrell for Seattle Sunday and will probably go on to Cape Nome, Alaska, Mrs. Terrell, who is returning with yellow treasure.

Mr. and Mrs. Stone, who have been visiting their daughter, Mrs. A. D. Stone, at the home of Mrs. Stone, at their home in Winston, Miss., Monday.

Dr. L. B. Thomas, has returned from the State University at Austin, where he has been attending the last session and has established himself in Decatur for the practice of his profession.

Mr. and Mrs. G. V. Sears and sons of Dallas, spent Sunday visiting relatives here.

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According to Bob Taylor, manager of the Decatur Baseball club the following persons and firms have made donations to the team for the upkeep of the field and equipment.

Harlan Brown, County Judge; Jack Cates, Abstractor; N. A. Moore, County Clerk; Cap Sampson, Candidate for County Attorney; Archie Cates, Lawyer; S. B. Conwell, Texas Co. Boydsten, Texaco Products; Clyde Slipp; Johnnie Dunn, Dunn Hardware; C. L. Christian, Furniture and Funeral Home; Dr. W. T. Inalenti, Grover Cleveland; Mont Foster, Dan Buck, Candidate for Constable; Sol Hardwick, Tailors; Buck Brawner; Les Singleton, Lion Auto Store; D. M. Ferguson; W. H. Turner, Candidate for County Attorney; J. L. Sellers, Abstractor; Bluford Walker, Magnolia Billing Station; Robertson Grocery; Renshaw Feed Store; Decatur Hardware; Bill Bastain; Stevenson Grocery; West in Auto Associate Store; C. O. Shaw, Candidate for Sheriff; Nolen L. Sewell, Candidate for District Judge; Hayes Dunaway, Candidate for Constable; J. V. Patterson, Lawyer; Parr Grocery Store; Will Rutherford, Candidate for Constable; H. M. Buttrill, Insurance.

Girl Scouts Meet

At a meeting of the Girl Scouts Tuesday, plans for the beginning second class work was discussed by the 20 members present.

Organized by Miss Jewel Burton in March, the troop plans swimming and skating parties for the summer. Last week 20 girl scouts enjoyed a skating party in Alvord.

Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Ferguson and baby of Lone, Wolf, Oklahoma, are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Ferguson of Bridgeport and Mr. and Mrs. Dale Stevenson of Decatur, as well as other relatives and friends.

Miss Ruth Cunningham of Fort Worth attended the Blackburn-McClung wedding Saturday night.

Decatur Scores 6 to 5 Win Over Alvord

Decatur came from behind in the ninth inning to take a 6 to 5 decision from the Alvord baseball team Tuesday afternoon. With two out and one man behind in the first of the ninth, Boyd singled, stole second, and came home when the Alvord second baseman let Clark's hot grounder get away. L. Manire then blasted out a single to score Clark with the winning run.

Clark and Boyd again led the hitting attack, Clark batting in three runs and Boyd getting two hits.

The best defensive play was turned in by L. Manire when he gathered in a ground ball, tagged a runner coming from second, then making a quick throw to L. Renshaw on first base for a fast double play.

Starnes' fast ball and curve held the Alvord team to one hit the three batters that the Decatur ace hurler pitched.

- County Agent's Notes

or any other feed crop may be conserved this way.

Soil Supervisors Appointed

We have been officially notified by the State Soil Conservation Board at Temple that Mr. A. C. Bennett of Wise county and Mr. H. G. Millican of Young county have been appointed supervisors in the Upper Trinity Soil Conservation District.

These supervisors have been called to meet at Jackboro this coming Wednesday morning to perfect the organization of the district and to call an election for the purpose of the election of three additional supervisors. As soon as this is done these supervisors will then begin the development of a program for the district.

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National Milk Month

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The science of dairying is one of the most important of all agricultural enterprises. Success in dairy farming can come only from a thorough knowledge of all the elements which are involved from the proper care and feeding of dairy cattle to the delivery of milk and milk products to their destination. The whole aim and object of any dairy program is the production of good quality milk. It is to the end that the entire science has been built up.

The necessity for producing good quality milk is a real obligation and dairy farmers are performing an important service for the entire nation. The people engaged in dairy operations realize this fact and have already done much to develop them-

selves in the science of dairying.

Today in the United States milk gives the greatest possible nutritive return for the money and pays returns in health.

On January 1, there were 25,534,000 milk cows and 5,533,000 heifers estimated, on farms in the United States. This is 246,000 more cows and 308,000 more heifers than a year earlier.

Milk production per cow is increasing and on March 1st, reached a new high.

If all the people of the United States used as much milk and milk products as is recommended for an adequate diet there would be a shortage of milk instead of a surplus. The dairymen of Texas should help with the campaign to increase the consumption of milk and milk products."

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The Fergusons and National Defense

Very few people are discussing politics. Every one is talking war. This is as it should be for the first qualification of good citizenship is patriotic love for the Nation and the red-blooded desire to defend it. Governors may come and governors may go but the first instinct of every true American will always be to preserve National safety at any cost.

However, we must soon face the duty of electing a governor and a legislature to serve during the two stormy years just ahead. When a hurricane strikes, only an experienced pilot can guide a vessel safely to shore. In the dark days before us, only seasoned leaders should be placed at the helm. This is a vital and necessary part of National defense.

Serving as a war governor is not a new experience for the Fergusons; it has only been a repetition of similar service rendered during the first world war, when we were forced into another contest.

With the help of President Roosevelt they ministered to the needs and suffering of the unemployed in time of peace; by his side they will meet the dangers that arise in time of war.

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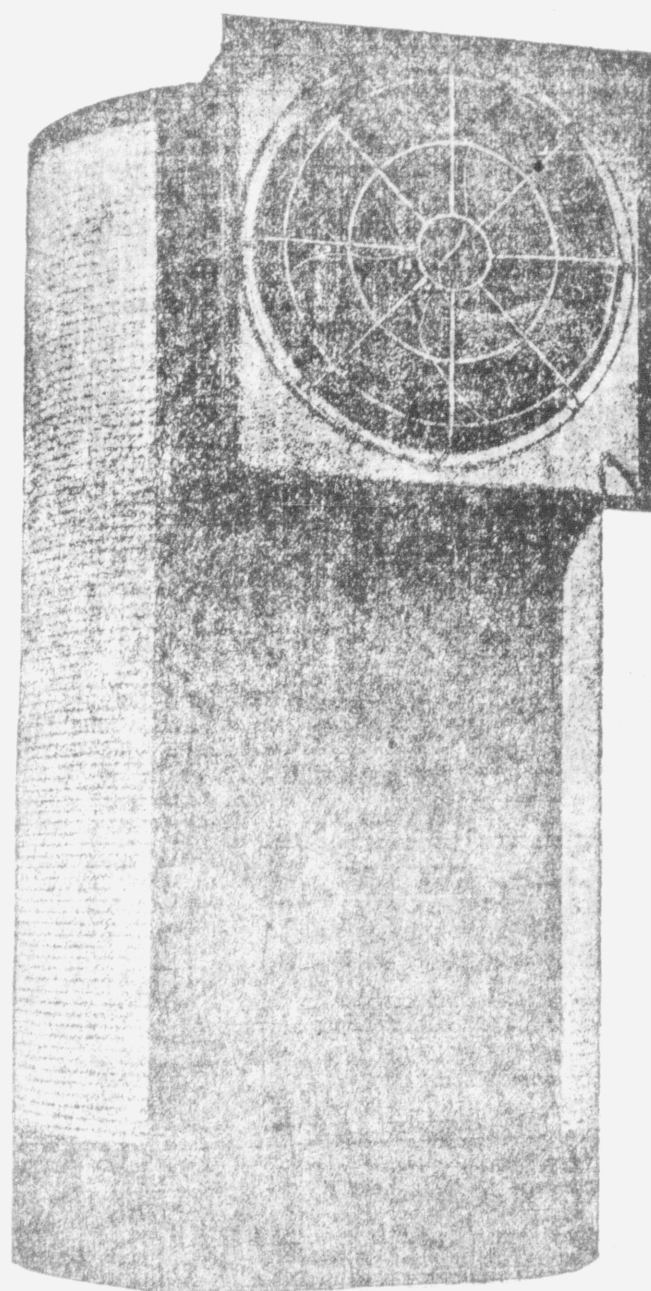
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FOR TRADE—15 new 50-2 year old, registered, new motor, new, right for any kind of work. Will do grain hauling, 1 have cow, 10 head, heavy trucks. 1111 1/2 St. A. A. "Tina" 400, Amarillo, Texas, Box 2.

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